

**Democracy's Opportunity.**  
The Democracy has a great oppor-  
tunity presented to it to serve the  
people of this country in solving the  
questions now pending, and which  
we believe it will be called on to  
solve. As the Hon. Jerry B. Sulli-  
van says it is not a question of party  
politics, it is a question of the wel-  
fare of the government, and the  
prosperity of the people. Every  
Democratic candidate for congress  
should be pledged to carry out the  
principles of the platform. A plat-  
form is a contract between the can-  
didate and the people, and its viola-  
tion is as much a wrong, as the viola-  
tion of any instrument is a breach  
of contract. Therefore in the com-  
ing campaign, state and congression-  
al, the platform should emphasize the  
following principles and require the  
candidate to subscribe thereto:  
1. Economy in the expenditure of  
public funds.  
2. The fulfillment of party pledges.  
3. The election of United States  
senators by the people.  
4. The enactment of an income  
tax law.  
5. The elimination of combina-  
tion and trusts.  
6. Reduction of the tariff and es-  
pecially on the necessities of life.  
These propositions are crystallized  
this hour in the mind of the voters  
of the nation. The nominee who sin-  
cerely believes in these principles,  
will carry out the platform declara-  
tions and will seek election because  
he believes these propositions should  
be enacted into law.  
The Democratic party is not en-  
titled to power or confidence if its  
candidates are unwilling to be in-  
trusted by the party. A refusal to  
carry the party platform; opposition  
to the election of the United States  
senators by the people; opposition  
to the voter having the right to ex-  
press his choice at a primary elec-  
tion; unwilling to destroy combina-  
tions that control prices; unwilling  
to give to the interstate commerce  
commission the right of initiative as  
to rates of transportation on the  
highways of the nation; unwilling  
to reduce the tariff on the neces-  
saries of life, such men should not  
be nominated and if successful at  
the primary should be defeated at  
the polls.  
The party that believes in these  
fundamental truths and will seek  
their enactment into law without  
fear and without favor, will receive  
the confidence of the people at the  
November election, 1910. The Re-  
publican party as now considered, has  
lost that confidence. Democracy  
must arise to the occasion and place  
its candidates only those who are  
willing to abide by the party plat-  
form. Unless it does it will not  
have the confidence of the people,  
and if received, it will not be con-  
tinued.  
The Democratic party must be  
democratic. It can not become the  
party of vested rights. The issue is  
clearly defined, it is system and priv-  
ilege on one side and opportunities  
and equal rights on the other. Uni-  
ty of thought and purpose should  
guide those of the same opinion into  
one party. The party that gives the  
greatest hope of the success of these  
principles, is the Democratic party.  
Its success means progress, its de-  
feat the triumph of privilege an-  
nected rights. The forces seeking  
to control prices, enacting legislation  
in the interests of privileges, who  
believe party is superior to prin-  
ciple, can not find a home in the De-  
mocratic party. Those who favor  
equal rights believe in equal oppor-  
tunities can. This class is sufficient  
to control legislation. They now have  
the opportunity by assisting in the  
election of Democrats to congress  
let the Democratic party be worth-  
y of their assistance, that ultimate  
success will not be for a day, but  
for all time.

**Malaria Bearing Mosquito.**  
Sir James Crichton-Browne, a  
prominent English scientist, has been  
studying conditions in the Mediter-  
ranean basin at first hand and in  
the light of ancient history. He has  
come to the conclusion that Greece  
fell, not before the arms of the in-  
vading armies of the Orient, nor in  
corrupting vices, but because the  
mosquito got lodgment there and  
supplied the vital forces of these her-  
es by injecting the germs of malaria.  
We presume that it must be true if  
scientific man says so, although we  
should like a little more demonstra-  
tion. It is hard to accept everything  
in faith in science as well as in re-  
ligion.  
Of course, all know that the Greece  
described by Herodotus and Thucy-  
dides and Xenophon is not the  
Greece of the present or even of the  
third century B. C. Every school-  
boy who has been roused to enthus-  
iasm over the battles of Marathon,  
and Salamis, or Plateau, Thermopy-  
lae and even those during the inter-  
vening Peloponnesian wars; who has  
raved enthusiastically over the Athens  
of Pericles and Plato, of Aeschylus  
and Socrates, the Greece of the  
Parthenon, and of the Olympian  
games—every such boy has always  
felt a dull aching of his heart as he  
read of the sudden decline of all  
this grandeur and the fall of Greece  
into the maw of the Macedonians.  
He has often wondered why and per-  
haps none of the explanations offered  
has satisfied him.  
We all know now, for the first  
time, that it was the mosquito and  
not a lack of brave men on the fight-  
ing line. No soldier could be ex-  
pected to handle a sword or spear  
with several billions of malarial bac-  
illi working in his interior economy.  
The explanation, however, leaves  
much to be explained. Why didn't  
the mosquitoes go farther north and  
destroy the Macedonians as well?  
How does the learned scientist know  
the mosquitoes came from Greece  
on a ship sailing from the marshes  
along the Nile? If we may trust  
the records of Crete there was com-  
merce with Greece a thousand years  
before the age of Pericles. Why  
didn't the mosquitoes emigrate ear-  
lier?  
What the mosquito did for Greece,  
it can do for this town, and will do  
if it is not checked and destroyed.  
Apparently, the mosquito is a very  
insignificant little insect, but when  
we consider what he did for Greece  
and will do for us unless he is de-  
stroyed, he looms up as a formidable  
enemy. Yellow fever, malarial fever,  
and some other diseases are caused  
by the bite of the different species  
of the mosquito, and hence they are  
all bad and should be utterly de-  
stroyed. What are we doing to rid  
this city and county of them? Ty-  
phoid fever and malarial fever are  
two diseases that we should not have  
among us, and we would not have  
them if we made diligent war on the  
mosquito and the house fly.

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rules of the Democratic primary.  
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didate for re-election as cotton weigh-  
er for the City of Orangeburg.  
For County Auditor.  
I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for the office of County Auditor,  
subject to the Democratic primary.  
T. M. McMICHAEL.  
For House of Representatives.  
I hereby announce myself a can-  
didate for the House of Representa-  
tives subject to the rules of the  
Democratic primary.  
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more for me than  
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**Beware of Fakirs**  
AND  
Ask Yourself a  
few Questions  
If a strange man who claimed to be  
a Doctor knocked at your door and  
asked you if any one was sick and if  
you wanted his services, wouldn't  
you say "no thank you, not you."  
But send post haste for your regular  
family physician?  
When your watch is broken, do you  
give it to a peddler to repair? No  
you take it to some reliable Jeweler  
who guarantees his work.  
If you are particular about these  
things why not be so with your eyes?  
When they need glasses, have them  
examined and correctly fitted, with  
the proper lenses and frames, by a  
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